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CONTINUED PROSECUTION APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(d)

Attorney Docket Number	04585/00200Q
Applicant	Andrew Goodearl et al.
Title	GLIAL MITOGENIC FACTORS, THEIR PREPARATION AND USE

PRIORITY INFORMATION:

This is a request for a continuation application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(d) (continued prosecution application (CPA)) of prior United States patent application 08/736,019, filed October 22, 1996, which is a continuation of 08/471,833, filed June 6, 1995, (now issued as U.S. Patent No. 5,530,109), which is a divisional application of 08/036,555, filed March 24, 1993, pending, which is a continuation-in-part of 07/863,703, filed April 3, 1992, abandoned, which is a continuation-in-part of 07/907,138, filed June 30, 1992, abandoned, which is a continuation-in-part of 07/940,389, filed September 3, 1992, abandoned, which is a continuation-in-part of 07/965,173, filed October 23, 1992, abandoned.

FILING QUALIFICATIONS:

The prior application is (1) a utility application that was filed under 35 U.S.C. § 111(a) before May 29, 2000, and is complete as defined by 37 C.F.R. § 1.51(b); or (2) a national stage application of an international application that was filed under 35 U.S.C. § 363 before May 29, 2000, and is in compliance with 35 U.S.C. § 371.

This CPA is being filed before the earliest of: (1) payment of the issue fee in the prior application, unless a petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.313(c) is granted in the prior application; (2) abandonment of the prior application; and (3) termination of proceedings in the prior application.

EXPRESS ABANDONMENT:

This request for a CPA is also a request for abandonment of the prior application as of the filing date of this request.

ACCESS TO PRIOR APPLICATION:

This request for a CPA includes a waiver of confidentiality by the applicant under 35 U.S.C. § 122 to the extent that any member of the public who is entitled under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.14 to access to, copies of, or information concerning the prior application may be given similar access to, copies of, or similar information concerning the other application or applications in the file jacket.

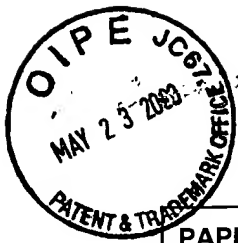
35 U.S.C. § 120 STATEMENT:

This request for a CPA is the specific reference required by 35 U.S.C. § 120 to the prior application.

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| X | 2. Copy of Petition for Extension of Time. |
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Basic Filing Fee: \$375	\$375.00
Excess Claims Fee: $14 - 20 = 0 \times \$9$	\$0.00
Excess Independent Claims Fee: $4 - 3 = 1 \times \$42$	\$42.00
Multiple Dependent Claims Fee: \$140	\$140.00
Fee for Request for Suspension of Action: \$130	\$0.00
Total Fees:	\$557.00

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